

**Bill History**  
**Session Year 2008**  
**Raised H.B. No. 5918**

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**Introducer(s):**  
Judiciary Committee

**Title:** AN ACT CONCERNING JURORS.

**Statement of Purpose:** To add jurors excused from service because they have served within the past three years to the list of persons who are excluded from the summoning process and to clarify that employers must allow their employees leave time to serve as jurors, regardless of the shift worked by the employee, and may not require such employee to serve or work in excess of eight hours in any given day.

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03/11/08 REFERRED TO JOINT COMMITTEE ON Judiciary Committee  
03/14/08 PUBLIC HEARING 03/19  
03/24/08 JOINT FAVORABLE  
03/24/08 FILED WITH LEGISLATIVE COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE  
03/31/08 REFERRED TO OFFICE OF LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH AND OFFICE OF FISCAL ANALYSIS 04/07/08-10:00 AM  
04/07/08 REPORTED OUT OF LEGISLATIVE COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE  
04/07/08 FAVORABLE REPORT, TABLED FOR THE CALENDAR, HOUSE  
04/07/08 HOUSE CALENDAR NUMBER 302  
04/07/08 FILE NUMBER 500  
04/30/08 HOUSE PASSED  
04/30/08 RULES SUSPENDED, TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE  
05/01/08 FAVORABLE REPORT, TABLED FOR THE CALENDAR, SENATE  
05/01/08 SENATE CALENDAR NUMBER 523  
05/05/08 SENATE PASSED  
05/05/08 ON CONSENT CALENDAR / IN CONCURRENCE  
05/13/08 PUBLIC ACT 08-103  
05/19/08 TRANSMITTED TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE  
05/27/08 SIGNED BY THE GOVERNOR <b

**Co-sponsor(s):**

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